

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:) Group Art Unit: 1633
William Beschorner *et al.*) Examiner: SAJJADI
Serial No.: 10/527,587) Atty. Docket No. 000241.00003
Filed: March 14, 2005) Confirmation No. 1006

For: **GROWTH OF FOREIGN CELLS IN FETAL ANIMALS FACILITATED BY
CONDITIONAL AND SELECTIVE DESTRUCTION OF NATIVE HOST CELLS**

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Randolph Building
401 Dulany Street
Alexandria, VA 22314

Dear Sir:

This paper responds to the Restriction Requirement mailed May 15, 2007. We believe no fee is due; charge our Deposit Account No. 19-0733 if this is incorrect.

Applicants elect Group II and the species (1) mutated thymidine kinase, (2) liver, and (3) artiodactyls. Claims 1-5 and 7-12 read on the elected invention and species.

Respectfully submitted,
BANNER & WITCOFF, LTD.
/Lisa M. Hemmendinger/

Dated: June 11, 2007

By: _____
Lisa M. Hemmendinger
Registration No. 42,653

Customer No. 22907